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INDUCING PROTEIN...)
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of July 26, 2006, please amend as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

Attachment: Copy of Lochner et al., reference is attached following page 14 of this document.